

## STURDEVANT CALLED INTO ICE TRUST CASE

### BOSSHARD LAYS MATTER BEFORE ATTORNEY GENERAL

#### Seeks Certainty of One Ice Man Admits a Conviction

#### BEFORE STARTING ACTION PRICES FIXED, THEN UNFIXED

#### District Attorney Gives Views Others in Alleged Combination Deny Agreement Exists

District Attorney Otto Bosshard has laid the ice situation here before State Attorney General Sturdevant. Mr. Bosshard is divided between a desire to satisfy the popular demand for a prosecution and a wish to start nothing that he can't finish. Therefore he has concluded that the attorney general, in an atmosphere removed from the popular indignation which admits of little reason here, is the proper man to determine the right course. In his letter to the attorney general Mr. Bosshard has stated as nearly as they can be ascertained all the facts concerning the relations of the various ice companies with each other and with the public. The statement of facts is one that will no doubt leave the impression that an offense has been committed if viewed in the light of statutes of other states. Whether in this state it is an offense, and whether it is probable, are the problems Mr. Sturdevant will be called upon to solve.

**Would Prefer Prosecution**  
In an interview today Mr. Bosshard said, "I am conscious of a strong public sentiment for the prosecution of someone in connection with this ice business. I had hoped that under our laws protection would be afforded. I have been forced to the conclusion that a prosecution would probably fail, and therefore hesitate to go to so great expense without the encouragement of others in authority. It is a temptation, sometimes, for an officer of the court to go beyond the established law in endeavoring to do right, especially when to do so would curry public favor. I think the public will understand that in hesitating to act in this case, I am doing what my own selfish interests would suggest. In a speech at Warm Springs yesterday District Attorney Jerome, New York's great reform prosecutor, said: 'Every citizen has a right to criticize them (the laws) and seek their amendment or repeal, but while they are our laws we want our judges to obey them, and not substitute for them something they deem in accord with a thing so mutable and so difficult to ascertain as the public opinion. The soundness of a judge's legal judgment and the wisdom of a particular law may well be called in question, but an honest decision should not expose the judge himself to criticism.'"

**Sales Dwindled**  
In the course of the inquiries into the transactions had in the formation of the alleged ice trust, an interesting fact developed. It is that the public, resenting the increase in prices, have not given the usual patronage to the ice men, and the sales so far this year are little more than half of the amount they had reached last year. Once ice man, who is known for years in the business, is quoted as having reached the conclusion that the combine was a mistake even from a commercial standpoint.

It was also found that La Crosse is discriminated against in rates in a manner to prevent competition in outside markets, a fact said to be largely responsible for the "charity" shown by the combine in shipping little ice away. The rate to Omaha and Kansas City is \$2.50 per ton from La Crosse and \$2 from Winona, thirty miles further. At least one large sale was lost because of this fact, the difference being \$500 per 1,000 tons.

**Trempealeau To Have 2 Saloons**  
Trempealeau, which usually hovers between a "wet" and a "dry" town, is to have two saloons in the future. H. C. Barber will open one Saturday and Bortle Brothers of Tamarack, will open another soon.

### GIRL AND RIVAL ARE NEAR DEATH

#### Rival Suitor Believed to Have Murderously Assaulted Pair

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 20.—The supposed victims of a rejected suitor's revenge, Bertha Boulton, aged 21, and Frank Kerns, aged 19, were found unconscious this morning dangerously wounded where they had been lying all night. The girl had been struck on the head with a piece of water pipe, dragged thirty feet and thrown over a bluff to the railroad tracks a hundred feet below. Her nose, arm and skull were broken. The youth's skull was fractured. Neither were able to give any connected account of the affair. From Kern's story it is gathered that the couple were walking at about 9 o'clock last night and were suddenly assaulted from behind.

### HUNDRED LOST LIVES IN BURNING OF SYRAN

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
SAMARA, July 20.—A hundred lives were lost in the fire which destroyed Syran. Several suspected incendiaries were lynched. The town is in ruins.

### LIVE STOCK EXCHANGE SAYS POST-MORTEM EXAMINATION WILL HURT THEM

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
CHICAGO, Ill., July 20.—The National Livestock exchange in session at the stock yards, declares the enforcement of the post-mortem inspection law will ruin the business of its members. They appointed a committee morning to make recommendations as to a method of protection.

### THE NEW RECRUIT GIVES THE ICEMEN A STEER



### OFFICIALDOM CERTAINLY DID ENJOY THAT PICNIC YESTERDAY

La Crosse officialdom certainly did have a picnic yesterday. From the moment the City of Hudson arrived at Dresden park at 1:30 until the return after dark last evening it was one round of pleasure, participated in by aldermen, city officials, ex-officials, some of the court officials and invited guests.

There were two regular ball games in which the aldermen came out to the bat and one between a picked team. Judge John Brindley, the umpire, was mobbed and carried off the field for unfair decisions. The judge admitted his bias, but declared he wanted to give the aldermen a chance. City Attorney P. W. Mahoney was policeman of the day, until later the honor was transferred to Alderman Schulz of the North side. As the policeman's belt would not go around Alderman Schulz it was placed about his neck. He made several arrests, including the capture of Judge Langstadt, who was tried before Judge Fruit.

The day was one of the most pleasurable imaginable and was thoroughly enjoyed by the officials present.

Dinner was served at 1 o'clock by Chef John Neukomm, and dinner it was—the finest in years.

On the return trip a number of speeches were made by the following: Judge John Brindley, Judge J. J. Fruit, William Luening, president of the Board of Education, Contractor Dwinell, Judge Herman Langstadt, Judge C. W. Hunt, Colonel F. A. Copeland and the city's oldest living inhabitant and former mayor, John M. Levy.

A resolution was presented to the assemblage that the dinner served by Mr. Neukomm was the finest ever eaten by them, and that he be thanked for his excellent efforts in behalf of the success of the day. The resolution was adopted with a rousing cheer.

### HEARS MOTION FROM VIROQUA

Judge J. J. Fruit heard a motion of the city of Viroqua against Amundson and others, to have a street opened which had been dedicated fifty years ago. The matter was taken under advisement.

### PRES. ENDORSED SEN. LA FOLLETTE

#### Badger Statesman Answers Hemenway's Attack on Rate Bill Policy

(Special Tribune Dispatch.)  
MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 19.—Senator La Follette, answering Hemenway, who said the Wisconsin senator was the rate bill's worst enemy, says he will go to Washington at the next session and urge every amendment he proposed. He declares Roosevelt congratulated him saying his amendments were good.

### SCRIPPS-McRAY BUY PUBLISHERS'

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
NEW YORK, July 20.—After a special meeting of the directors of the Publishers' Press association yesterday it was announced that E. W. Scripps and M. A. McRae, have purchased the controlling interest.

J. B. Shale, president of the Publishers' association, announced that he and T. J. Keenan, secretary, had disposed of all their stock which jointly gave the control. They tendered their resignations.

M. A. McRae, J. Harper and John Vandercook were elected directors. The board unanimously elected Mr. McRae president, John Vandercook, secretary and general manager, and retained Andrew McLean as vice president and treasurer.

The combination comprises an association of 321 papers, including clients of the Scripps News association, a Pacific coast organization.

### DRUNK AND DISORDERLY

James Champion was fined \$7.50 and costs in the police court this morning charged with drunk and disorderly conduct.

### BULLET ANTIDOTE TO POISON AND THE ATTEMPTED SUICIDE WILL LIVE

(Special Tribune Dispatch.)  
ASHLAND, Wis., July 20.—F. R. Potts today swallowed sufficient laudanum to kill him, and after taking the poison addressed a farewell note to his mother, which he sealed and laid where she might find it. Death from the poison being too slow to suit Potts he procured a revolver and fired into his breast. The bullet struck out of his ribs and glanced. The shock caused him to vomit up the poison and he will recover.

### COMMISSION DEMANDS THE NAME OF JUDGE WHO ASKED REBATE

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 20.—The insurance investigation committee has demanded J. C. Albright, agent of the Union Central Life, to give the name of the judge who asked a rebate. Assistant Attorney General Titus says he cannot find a law to impeach a judge asking rebates. One of the judges of the Badger supreme court was accused.

### ROCKEFELLER STARTS HOME FROM PARIS TRIP

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
PARIS, July 20.—Rockefeller, accompanied by the physician of the family, occupied a private car on a special steamer train and will sail this evening on a steamer for America. He declined to discuss the Standard Oil inquiry. Ambassador and Mrs. McCormick will sail on the same steamer for a short vacation at home.

### WEATHER & WATER

Generally fair tonight and Saturday; continued warm. Coolest, 64; warmest, 82; wind, 4 miles. The river will continue to fall steadily. Stage of water 6.8, a fall of .1.

### COMMITTEE MEETING

The street and alleys committee of the common council meets tomorrow afternoon.

### BADGER DENTISTS TO COME

#### La Crosse Awarded Convention

#### 300 ARE TO BE PRESENT

#### Local Delegation to Madison Gets Big Meeting for Next Year

The Wisconsin State Dentists' association before closing their convention at Madison yesterday afternoon, decided to hold their 1907 convention in this city.

The convention will meet here in the third week in July, 1907, and will bring about three hundred delegates and visitors from all over the state.

The local delegation waged a hard fight for the convention, and gave up expectation of securing any offices in order to bring the big meeting here.

There were more than three hundred delegates present at the Madison meeting and a royal entertainment was furnished by the Madison dentists.

Those who attended from La Crosse were Drs. Collier, C. A. Smith, Houser, E. A. Gatterdam, Hamfen and Philips.

### PRESIDENT LONG AGO PROMISED 8-HOUR ENFORCEMENT

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20.—Samuel Gompers, discussing the order of the president to enforce the eight-hour law on government work, says: "It is what the federation wanted and has fought for many years to obtain. The president is merely carrying out the promise made long ago."

### MOLLY MOULTON JAILED AGAIN

#### Pitiable Creature, Unkept and Disheveled, Before Bar of Justice

With hands nervously picking at her ragged dress, unkempt, with hair disheveled and casting furtive glances like those of a cornered animal, at those in the court room, Molly Moulton, a pitiable specimen of unfortunate humanity was this morning sentenced to sixty days at the county jail for being "drunk and crazy," as the police report stated. The woman is the wife of "Double-headed" Bob Moulton, who is now serving a sentence in the penitentiary. She is said to be drunk nearly all of the time. She lives in a hovel and it is claimed by the police makes no effort to even keep herself clean. She was released from the county jail after serving a sentence for drunkenness only a few weeks ago. The woman is probably 40 years old and her face shows the hard lines of dissipation and misfortune. "I will send you to jail this time," said Judge Brindley, "but this sort of a life has to end somewhere. If you do not reform I will have to send you to prison some of these days." The woman was lead away by Chief of Police H. H. Byrne to begin the sentence, the object of which is to reform, but which probably will not change her demeanor.



## U. S. FISH COMMISSION HERE TO SAVE SMALL FISH

B. S. Johnson of the United States fish commission is in the city and is preparing to start work at the sub-station which is located on the North side.

As soon as the water lowers the rescue work will be started. When the water drops the fish that are pocketed in the various sloughs will be taken out and later distributed at different places, as called for.

## MESSMER SAYS PEEK-A-BOO WAISTS BRING CONSUMPTION

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 20.—Archbishop Sebastian G. Messmer frowns upon the peekaboo waist, so popular with the fair sex. He says it is immodest.

A furore has been caused among the devoted feminine communicants in the Catholic churches of the east by the stand the clergy has taken against the peekaboo waist and the Yvette Guilbert glove, which is so much the rage. The clergy objects to the long glove because of its resemblance to the stocking.

"I do not think much of the peekaboo waist," said Archbishop Messmer. "It is immodest, and I think the women are going a little too far with this mode of dress. I don't have anything against the long glove, however."

"Peekaboo waists and low-necked gowns are not to be censured because of their immodesty alone. I don't think they are conducive to good health. Quite the contrary, I believe that the openwork waist leads

to severe colds, tuberculosis and other diseases of the lungs and throat. When the neck and chest is exposed one day and covered the next the result cannot be otherwise. When the day is slightly chilly the women wear high-necked gowns. When the day is warm the peekaboo is worn."

### SURPRISE PARTY

Al French was treated to a very enjoyable surprise at his home on Ferry street. The evening was spent in progressive cinch, the prizes being awarded to Albert Colman, August Bartz, Al French, Mrs. John Stangl, Miss Mayme, K. L. Foerster and Mrs. Bjornstad. At 11:15 a dainty and delicious lunch was served after which all proceeded to their homes having had an enjoyable time.

Andy Hayes, James Squires and Herbert Hanson made a catch of eighty bullheads near bridge switch yesterday.

## North Side News

Branch Office 532 Mill Street

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## ENGINE STRIKES BRAKEMAN WHOSE FOOT STICKS IN FROG

### Arthur Levens of North Side Meets With What Might Have Been a Serious Accident

Arthur Levens of Avon street, formerly employed by the city street railway, but at present brakeman on the Milwaukee road, received a painful injury yesterday at the station east of here where he was braking on a work train.

He got off ahead of the switch en-

gine and accidentally stepped into a "frog." The engineer noticed him at once and tried not to hit him, but the footboard of the engine struck him before it could be brought to a stop. Had it gone a few feet further Mr. Levens would have lost his foot. He is able to be around with difficulty.

## SLIDE CAUSEWAY CARS DERAILED CAR TRACK TO NEW ROADBED AT COAL CHUTE

Work of transferring the track over the causeway which has been nearest the sidewalk to the other side of the remaining track is progressing rapidly and about half the track has already been replaced and was being fastened into position this morning.

The track was not taken apart at all. A crew of about twenty men with crowbars slid it into the new roadbed.

Jewett Nutting, a street car conductor, formerly of the North side, has been removed from the hospital to his home on North Third street. He was operated upon for appendicitis.

### KINGSLEY CONFISCATES SET LINES

A large number of set lines have been taken from Black river during the past few days and confiscated by Game Warden George L. Kingsley who found them without tags.

Persons using set lines are obliged to get licenses from the county clerk and also tags which they must place upon all of their lines.

### LAUNCH RIDE

A number of friends were out launch riding yesterday afternoon and



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evening in the launch of Julius Storkenson.

They went a distance up river and upon their return took supper in Pettibone's park. All enjoyed the outing very much. Those present were: Mrs. Storkenson, Miss Fessler, Miss Tillie Foster, Miss Anna Scabiller, Mr. and Mrs. Walters, Mr. and Mrs. T. Allen, George Weisner and Julius Storkenson.

### RAILWAY BUSINESS HEAVY

Business on the Milwaukee road is rushing at present and several of the passenger trains are now running in two sections.

Freight business is also very heavy and in the near future if the present rush keeps on another engine will be put on in the yards evenings.

### FOOT IS CRUSHED BY AN IRON BAR

Merritt Clow, 1311 Charles street, was injured last evening at the Burlington roundhouse, a heavy piece of iron falling upon his foot, which was

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### NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

Reev. C. N. Tollefson, formerly of the North side, but at present pastor at Brooklyn, N. Y., stopped off in the city yesterday for a few days' visit with friends, enroute to Tacoma, Wash., where he will spend some time with his parents.

Dell Davidson of station No. 4, is now enjoying his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Lidell who left some time ago to spend a few days

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badly crushed. Dr. J. L. Callahan dressed the injury. Mr. Clow will no doubt be laid up for some time.

at their former home at Buffalo, N. Y., will also tour various places of interest in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Plummert Engh, 1622 Avon street, have welcomed a baby girl to their home. Mrs. Engh is at the home of her mother on the South side.

Then 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mullikin, 719 Mill street, was taken to St. Francis hos-

MRS. C. E. METHESSEL, the Clairvoyant and Trance Medium has returned to La Crosse and will give Readings daily at her home, 1003 Caledonia and Wall St. from 9 A. M. to 8 P. M.

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### RUSH NEW CAPITOL

MADISON, Wis., July 20.—Work on the construction of Wisconsin's new capitol building will begin in about three weeks. Lew F. Porter, secretary of the commission, yesterday afternoon received a telegram from Port & Sons, the chosen architects of the commission, which said a representative of their firm would be in Madison Monday or Tuesday to confer with the commission on the matter of plans and construction. Arrangements will be made at once and the capitol will be built by contract. Local concerns will be allowed to bid.

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(Signed) A. ELLIOT,  
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South St. Paul, Minn.

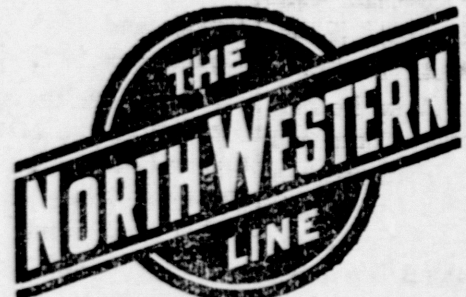
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## RIGHT MAN PUNISHED; WILL RELEASE BROTHER

MANITOWOC, Wis., July 20.—Leo Koebel, who confessed to setting fire to the Kieselhorst mill in Milton, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to six years at Waupun. In court the young man, who is 32 years old, broke down. A brother, Carl, who has been suspected of the crime, is in an insane asylum, but an effort will now be made to have him released.

## BELOIT PREACHER KILLED ABROAD

BELOIT, Wis., July 20.—The Rev. B. Royal Cheney, apstor of the Second Congregational church of this city, met sudden death in an elevator accident at Florence, Italy, where he was staying with a party of friends on a tour in Europe. The news came to Beloit friends in a cable message from Professor T. L. Wright of Beloit college. Mr. Cheney's church had just completed the building of a fine new edifice and had given him a vacation in recognition of his labors. He graduated from Beloit college in 1891 and had been pastor here for four years. He is survived by a wife and one child, who are now at East Elma, N. Y. A daughter died a few months ago.

## THOMAS FOR TREAS.

MADISON, Wis., July 20.—Railroad Commissioner John W. Thomas of Chipewa Falls, whose office expires by legislative act the first of next January, has announced his candidacy for the republican nomination for state treasurer to succeed Kempf.

## SELLS FARM PROPERTY

Joseph Thompson and wife have sold farm property valued at \$1,500 in township 18 to William B. Malhum.

Dr. R. T. Case will return Saturday from a visit to Madison and Baraboo in the interests of the Elks' convention to be held here next month. Mr. Case is exalted ruler of local lodge, No. 300.

## MUST POST NO ELECTION NOTICES ON ELECTRIC POLES

City Ordinance Interfered With the Tacking of Signs so Fences Must be Utilized

Constable Louis Omerberg, to whom City Clerk Sieger assigned the job of tacking up notices of the primary election, must not post the signs on poles else the police will follow him about and tear them down. Under the ordinance prohibiting the tacking of signs on telephone and telegraph and electric light poles official notices are not exempted. Upon application to the chief of police Omerberg was informed that he must tack all notices on billboards, fences or wherever he could, but that those placed on trees or on poles would be torn down. Three notices are to be placed in each ward in the city.

## THE COST OF MAKING ELECTRICITY

It has occurred to us that it might not be a bad plan to say something on the methods and conditions which affect the cost of electricity. The selling cost is usually fairly well known to customers who watch their bills and meters. A man knows that he has consumed so many kilowatt hours of electricity during the month at so many cents per kilowatt hour. In La Crosse the rate charged by us on our Readiness to Serve contract is sixty cents per sixteen candle power lamp or its equivalent, demanded at any one time, and five cents per kilowatt hour with a discount of ten per cent for prompt payment.

It is unfortunate that electricity cannot be put up in boxes and bottles, labelled and tied with a string and sold over counters in stores. We would like very much to do that. But electricity is a "hand to mouth" product. It must be manufactured just as fast as consumed. The grocery man, the dry goods merchant, the druggist and retail merchants generally lay in a stock of goods which they sell from day to day as demand is made upon them. Not so with electricity. When you turn on an incandescent or a Nernst lamp in your house, at that instant there is a demand upon the manufacturing capacity of the electric

power station, and it may surprise you to learn how quickly the demand is supplied. When you turn the switch or button, indicating that you want electric light, the demand is supplied in less than one-thousandth of a second, and electricity goes flowing back and forth between that light of yours and the company's electric power station at the rate of 120 times each second. Sixty times per second it flows from the power station to your light and sixty times per second it flows from the light back to the power station. The light which you have turned on has made it necessary to shovel a little more coal into the furnaces under the boilers. But aside from that extra coal which has been consumed in satisfying your demand for the electric light the company has been waiting for that call from you and has provided for it in a way which you would never suspect.

For every light connected to our circuits, and for every motor on our lines, a plant of sufficient size is kept in readiness to instantly supply your demand and the light and power are kept entirely separate. In your house is a meter ready to accurately measure the current you use and the company has wires leading to a transformer located on a pole somewhere

in your block. From the transformer wires lead back to the power station. There they are connected with a set of electricity "generators" which in turn are connected with steam turbines, each getting its power from boilers, in the furnaces of which coal is consumed. The electric light company must keep ready for you all this apparatus, from the meter in your house clear back to the furnaces under the boilers, and they must be ready to supply your demand at the instant you turn your switch.

From this you will notice that the company must be and is ready for you every moment, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. Now if we have only 24 consumers and we could command each of the 24 to burn his electric lights for one hour per day and never more than one consumer during any one hour, then we would have the ideal condition. But if all the 24 customers want to burn their light at the same hour each day, you see we will have to have just 24 times as much capacity in wire, generators, turbines and boilers as we would if we could supply the 24 one at a time.

Now all that machinery and copper wire costs money. Capitalists and banks lend money to buy machinery. But these capitalists and banks have a bad habit of demanding interest on the money they loan.

We have already told you that for every light you have installed in your house or store, we must have a certain amount of machinery and on that machinery we must pay interest. We have to pay the interest the same whether you use your light one minute, a day or ten hours a day. That is what we call a fixed charge.

To sum up, the cost of electricity is made up of two items, first the fixed charges which include interest, taxes, insurance, depreciation, office costs and all items which remain the same whether you use your lights or not. The second item includes coal, oil, labor, lamp renewals, repairs and similar costs which depend upon the amount of light you use. To all those who have read the above and understand the idea the Wisconsin Light & Power company recommends in the future that your purchase your electricity of us on the readiness to serve rate, and we will be more than pleased to figure with you and show you the advantage of such a rate to you.—Adv.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

# SATURDAY BARGAINS

We do not want to carry over any of our Two-Piece Summer Suits, with this end in view we are going to put them all on sale SATURDAY, JULY 21, at a straight Discount of Twenty-five Per Cent.

This Means  
\$20.00 Suits at \$15.00  
\$18.00 Suits at \$13.50  
\$15.00 Suits at \$11.25

STRAW HATS  
Saturday, July 21, you can buy any Straw Hat in the house at  
\$1.00  
Values at \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$3.00.

This Means  
\$12.50 Suits at \$9.37  
\$10.00 Suits at \$7.50  
\$ 8.00 Suits at \$6.00

## - CHILDREN'S WASH SUITS -

Saturday, July 21, you can have any Wash Suit in the house at a Discount of

25%

We have a beautiful line to select from and no mother can afford to spend time in making clothes for her boy when she can buy them at the prices we now offer.

Boys' Waists  
75c Kind at . . . 50c  
50c Kind at . . . 38c

PANAMA HATS  
The One Piece Kind sold at Six Dollars,  
Special Saturday at  
\$4.00

Boys' Caps  
\$1.00 Kind at . . 75c  
50c Kind at . . 38c

Let us Meet you Face to Face at 115-117 South 4th Street, Saturday.

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## Quality

Is the Foundation of the Marvelous Success of



Red  
Feather

This Tobacco is made of the choicest Virginia and Kentucky Tobacco, selected for the Exclusive Use of The  
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It Excels All Others And

IT'S MADE IN LA CROSSE.

## FRANK H. AIKEN

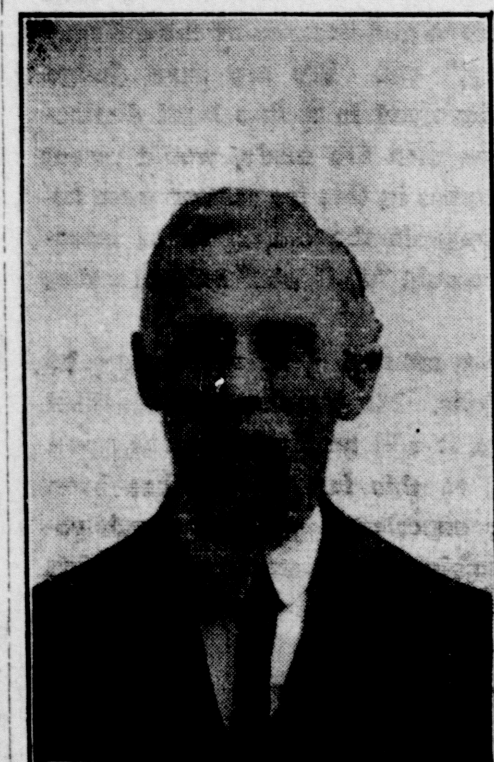
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PRIMARY ELECTION

SEPTEMBER 4th, 1906



## W. B. CORSETS Best Without Costing Most

ALL DEALERS SELL THEM AT \$1.00 UPWARDS  
WEINGARTEN BROS., Makers, 377-379 Broadway, N. Y.



## Happy! Not Drunk.

"Whoopie, godziggerty!" yelled the man from Buffalo County, as he jumped up and cracked his heels. A policeman ran up and grabbed and took him to the call box. It took the man ten minutes to explain that he was not drunk, but just happy because he had found the



was a 5c cigar instead of a 10c one.

IT'S MADE IN LA CROSSE.

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### PUTTING POLITICS ON ICE

Judge John A. Daniels has taken exceptions to the opinion of District Attorney Bosshard holding that there is no law in Wisconsin, statutory or common, under which a successful prosecution of the ice kings could be made. Judge Daniels is of the belief that ample authority is provided by the common law, and cites numerous cases tending to support his position.

Getting down to hair splitting, it appears from a comparison of the interviews of Mr. Bosshard and Judge Daniels that they are at variance largely because the prosecutor believes that under the law the article conspired to be sold at a higher uniform price must be a "necessity of life." Judge Daniels does not so conclude, or if he agrees here also, he takes it for granted that ice is a "necessity of life." Mr. Bosshard has been unable to satisfy himself that it is, and the question might determine the fate of the ice case.

The suggestion of Mr. Bosshard in his interview that steps should be taken by the attorney general seems to be borne out in the action of the people of Oshkosh in appealing to Attorney General Sturdevant to determine what to do about the Oshkosh ice trust. Had he believed he had the power, no doubt the district attorney at Oshkosh would have acted.

Questions of fact also promise to be confusing to the state in the case of the prosecution of the ice men. What they would admit one cannot say, but it is intimated in stories published in The Tribune tonight that most of them would deny that they authorized the published statement to which their printed names were attached as signatures, and they would flatly dispute the charge that they had ever entered into any agreement affecting the price of ice. What might be presumed from their neglect to deny their signatures until prosecution was freely discussed, and from the strange coincidence that they all hit upon a uniform price, can be reached only by conjecture.

The Tribune does not incline to take any "sides" in this legal argument. It knows Mr. Bosshard well enough to know that his political eye teeth are cut and that he grasps comprehendingly the immense political advantage a successful prosecution would mean. Therefore, without reference to his reputation for intelligence and integrity, we conclude he believes grave doubts exist as to the success of a prosecution. On the other hand, that most estimable and kindly scholar, Judge John A. Daniels, is moved by conviction and a disinterested solicitation for the public weal. The point of law requires too close discrimination for us to attempt its solution. We have only to say that, if a prosecution is possible, it is highly desirable.

Of one thing we are inclined to warn participants in this discussion. Don't try and juggle this thing for political purposes. It does not become candidates, and friends of candidates, to say what "I would do if I were district attorney," but that "for ethical reasons and because of the delicacy of the situation I am prevented from saying," etc. We are sure Judge Daniels, to whom the mental gymnastics involved in a fine legal distinction always appeals, and who is "square" as men are made, would resent the information that his public spirited interest in this ice matter were being utilized for street corner politics that regards the citizen as of interest only until his vote is cast. What one would "do if, etc." seldom makes a favorable impression.

In the meantime, the ice trust may rest assured that what may be done under the laws of Wisconsin, will be done. Mr. Bosshard has decided to take the whole matter to Madison where it will be finally passed upon by Attorney General Sturdevant. Incident to this fact, a hint has been dropped that if Oshkosh foots the bills for experience, we may reach results at little cost and without making possible the spectacle of a selfish combine triumphing over the state in a court of law in this city.

### THE DOUBTFUL REJUVENATION

About six months ago the La Crosse board of trade was reorganized. It had long been felt that the society was not doing all that could be done for La Crosse. Things were stirred up, and shaken down, and great results were looked for.

Thus far it seems that affairs have not progressed as might have been desired. The only important matter to be called to the attention of the body is the pending departure of the Rubber Mills, and indications are that the plant will escape without meeting any particular opposition. That, and the barbeque, are all.

A prominent member of the board, who has a habit of being pretty near right, said to The Tribune prior to the reorganization that the board is overrated, that its scope and influence are not what people have fallen into the habit of believing them. It appears now that he was right again.

A board of trade is what its members make it. If its wealthy mem-

bers are liberal and its young men are interested and hustling, it will possess value. Now, for instance, it comes to our wondering ears that little sister Winona has raised a fund of \$100,000 with which to encourage the upbuilding of its industries. That sort of an organization is worth something—\$100,000.00 at least.

Lest we become responsible for attacks of heart failure, we refrain from making a suggestion, or even drawing the deadly parallel.

### AWFUL TROUBLE OF AN ANARCHIST

Talk about trouble!

It has surely camped on the trail of M. Emile Cuny, a French anarchist. That fellow used to dream blood. He longed for the day when everybody would be better than everybody else; when private ownership would be only a memory and law entirely forgotten. He was especially strong on his denial of the rights of property, and he could stand on a corner and preach his hobby from dawn until dark, and then some.

Destiny does funny stunts in this world.

A relative has just left a fine fortune to M. Emile.

Of course he will proceed to carry out his "no property rights" theory, you say.

If he does, his friends will clap him into an asylum.

Most of the theory in this world amounts to the making of rules for other people to follow.

The fellow who denounces government the loudest is generally satisfied with a job in the waterworks department, and when he gets to drawing money regularly he is too busy to make speeches in the public square.

There is the woman-hater. Sometimes he even convinces himself that he is sincere, and he goes about with his chin up, an icy look on his face, and he despises babies and gags when lovers bill and coo, and he even writes a communication to the paper asking that the police stop such disgusting exhibitions in the parks.

And one day along comes a woman with brown eyes and fragrance and clothes that rustle, and some brains and a something that the wisest man in the world cannot describe, and the woman-hater feels weak in the knees and knows he is a coward, and is glad of it, and up goes the white flag.

Another day you see him wheeling a baby carriage and carrying a bundle that contains all sorts of paraphernalia, and he chuckles you in the ribs, and chuckles until there are wrinkles all over his face and some on his neck, and he says: "Old man, you should get married. It is the only way!"

And so it runs up and down the life scale, and theory is a fine thing to amuse yourself with, but facts and real conditions are what we live for, no matter how much we try to fool ourselves.

Mr. Cuny's money should make a very good citizen out of a very bad anarchist, if he is human.

### FOR KEEPING THE FAITH

This ought to be the tramp cartoonist's day for an egg sandwich and half a glass of beer.—Editor Gelatt in Morning Chronicle.

It seems pretty small to thrust at a man through his religion, Mr. Gelatt being aware that today is Friday, a fasting day with the Catholics, when they abstain from all meats. Mr. Callahan, whom the estimable Mr. Gelatt chooses to call the "tramp cartoonist," is a Catholic, and a good Catholic.

### AS TO THE RE-HASH.

Readers of the trust papers must feel like inmates of a boardinghouse with an economical cook.

"We'd rather sell our ice in Chicago," blats the Oshkosh ice trust. "We don't need to sell a pound of ice in Oshkosh; we can get better prices in Chicago; we've got the ice, let them pay for it. They might add: 'To Hades with the people; what we want is the money; let 'um die if they don't pay our prices.'" How like the La Crosse ultimatum.

When the matter comes up of moving the tanks of Standard Oil from their present location, that company is likely to raise a row. In case it does, we advise the city council to make careful inquiry as to the disposition of similar tanks required in other cities.

Governor Folk urges merchants to advertise in the home newspapers. "You build them up, and they'll build you up," says Missouri's great governor. We always felt Folk must have a good deal of sense to gain his place in affairs of the country.

Some La Crosse papers show their desire to protect the "dear people of our beautiful city" by evading mention of the ice hold-up.

The sewer pipe trust, facing prosecution, agreed with the federal government to dissolve. Step up, Mr. Ice Trust.

It might be well to call it the Mourning Chronicle, since it has both feet dangling in the grave.

People have even ceased to laugh over the Morning Chronicle.

## DIG OX-PIT FOR BOARD OF TRADE'S BARBEQUE

### Committee Visits Dresden Park and Preliminary Arrangements are Made for the Outing

The committee of the La Crosse Board of Trade, composed of Percy Wiggenshorn, John Salzer, together with Secretary Ried yesterday went to Dresden park to complete arrangements for the cleaning up of the park in time for the annual excursion and barbeque, which is to be held there.

Arrangements were made with Mr. Dresden, owner of the park, for the digging of the "ox-pit" for the barbeque, and the cleaning up of the ball grounds.

John Elliott, president of the La Crosse baseball club is trying to secure the Freeport team to play against La Crosse upon that date, instead of Green Bay, thus giving those that attend the barbeque an opportunity to see a game between the two leading teams of the league.

### THREE NATURALIZED

Ludwig Frenz and Herman Rediske and J. M. Solberg, took out naturalization papers today, at the office of Clerk of the Court George D. Wright.

The Tribune prints complete local and telegraphic news each day—no rehash from other papers.

## Straw Hats

AT HALF PRICE

TOMORROW

You take your pick of any Straw Hat in our store and pay only half of the original price.

ANY PANAMA HAT you pay \$3.50 for.

THE CONTINENTAL

HENRY N. BOEHM, Manager.



### JUST LIFE



#### Not Surprising

It is really no great surprise, For it takes one who's counted the ties,

To shout "you're a bum" And to wallow in skum For the muck he would shun if he's wise.

#### What May Stop 'Em

"I think 'peek-a-boo' waists are immodest," says Archbishop Messmer. This won't stop 'em. "I further think," says the archbishop, "they are conducive of consumption." This may.

That 2-year-old view was enough to make even the "Ol' Man" laugh.

#### General Stoessel

"It has been a splendid defense. What a splendid fellow Stoessel is. How all the world must admire him," said Field Marshal Earl Roberts on the fall of Port Arthur.

"We find and recommend that Lieutenant General Stoessel, the former commander of the Russian forces at Port Arthur, be dismissed from the army and shot."—Report of czar's committee investigating fall of Port Arthur.

And even now, some people will wonder that the Russian throne is tottering.

Is it not peculiar that The Tribune is the only local paper which prints news of ice trust prosecutions? Think it over.

The Catholics certainly did show their love for Bishop Schwebach, and the genial old prelate was almost overcome with happiness.

One gratification about that "Uncle By" imitation—it's boiler plate, and it's printed in every country paper as a "filler."

"I object to the 'peek-a-boo' waist," says Archbishop Messmer, "but I won't take them up in my diocese." We agree with the prelate. For the sake of modesty let them wear that much, anyway.

Though the news that Winona is out on a factory hunt may be taken as a joke, it is well to remember some jokes turn out seriously and the local promoting organization might at least keep track of the news on the matter.

You can set it down that Denver will not soon forget the Elks; and La Crosse has got something to think about coming Aug. 7, 8 and 9.

Perhaps Russia is trying to make an excuse for losing the war by killing off all her heroes as cowards.

It may be expected that the ice trust will need most of its product to keep itself cool, under the circumstances. So it is unlikely it will "sell our ice in Chicago," even though "we'd rather and can get more money there."

Yes, the city officials are back; ask them.

It is rumored that John D. is to run for the presidency and that that "fifty" was the opening gun of his campaign. Now, if John can induce

the two local octopus-tentacles to knock him, he may be elected. However, he has no other chance.

#### Modern Definitions

Appendicitis—A modern pain costing \$200 more than the old fashioned stomach ache.

Collector—A man whom few care to see but many ask to call again.

Echo—The only thing that can cheat a woman out of the last word.

Evolution—Clever trick performed by one Darwin who made a monkey out of Adam.

Hug—A roundabout way of expressing affection.

Jury—Twelve men chosen to decide who is the best lawyer.

Love—A man's insane desire to become a woman's meal ticket.

#### It Sounds Unreasonable

"A lady in Ivanhoe has found a sure cure for broken dishes," says the Redwood Gazette. "If the dish to be mended can be tied together with a stout string, then place it in boiling milk and leave one hour. You can never tell the dish had been broken and it can afterwards be put into boiling water without the pieces coming apart. This experiment has been tried and proven and many are the broken dishes which were thought to be useless which are now as good as new."

—W. V. K.

## FINDS 50-GRAIN ROUND PEARL

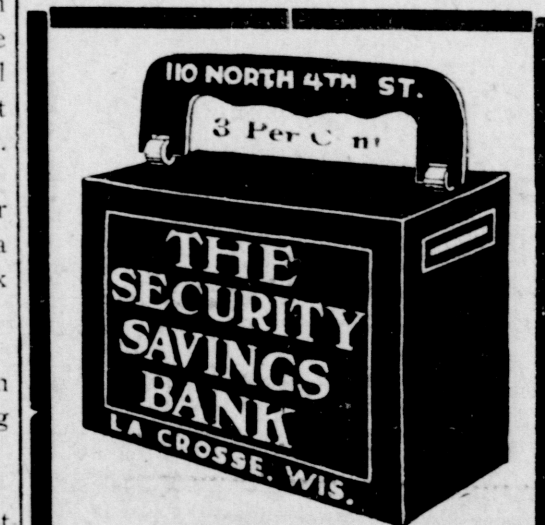
Eddie Huttenhow of Trempealeau, yesterday found an almost perfect pearl while fishing for clams at that place. The pearl is round and is nearly as large as a marble. Its only imperfection is a slight indentation on one side, as though a pin had been pushed into it.

## MANY WITNESS HIGH DIVES

A large number of people yesterday witnessed two high dives made at the public baths when William A. Powell, the well known attorney, leaped twice from the wagon bridge to the water, a distance of forty feet. Mr. Powell's dives were both successful. They were made near dark, the second dive being after darkness had fallen.

Bathing Instructor William Fraser waited on the boom below the bridge and leaped into the water each time to render immediate assistance if any were needed, but Mr. Powell swam to the boom each time unassisted.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.



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Deposits made prior to 5th, draw interest from 1st of each month.

### (Official Publication.) REPORT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE BATA- VIAN NATIONAL BANK Located at La Crosse, State of Wis- consin, at the close of business on the 18th day of June, 1906.

Resources.	
Loans and discounts	\$2,529,179.18
Overdrafts	677.03
U. S. bonds and premium	404,000.00
Other bonds	109,511.89
Banking house and fix- tures	75,000.00
5 per cent redemption fund	20,000.00
Cash and due from banks	588,631.05
	\$3,726,999.15

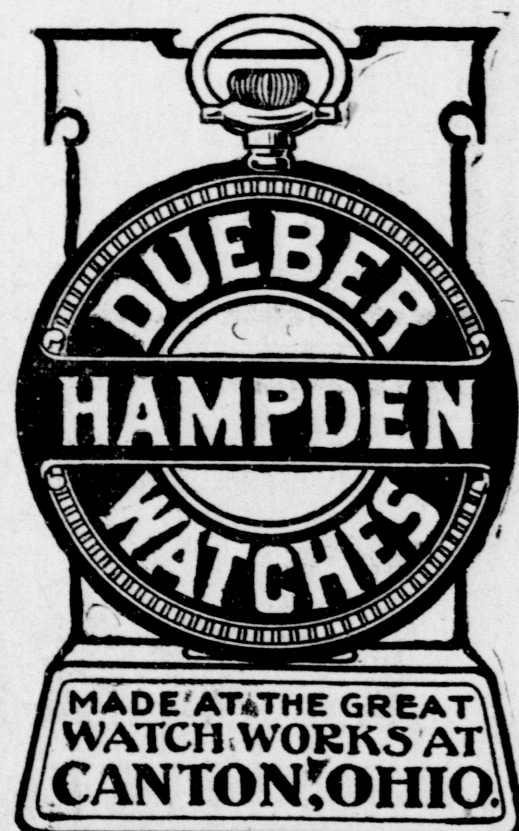
Liabilities.	
Capital stock	\$400,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	31,363.52
Nat'l Bank notes out- standing	390,000.00
Deposits	2,805,635.63
	\$3,726,999.15

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE STATE BANK OF LA CROSSE, La Crosse, Wis., June 18, 1906.

Resources.	
Loans and discounts	\$673,883.77
Overdrafts	171.53
U. S. and other bonds and securities	77,437.65
Banking house & fixtures	12,000.00
Due from banks and in vaults	280,574.38
Total	\$1,044,067.33
Liabilities.	
Capital stock	\$50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	14,825.49
Deposits	929,241.93
Total	\$1,044,067.33

### THE NATIONAL BANK OF LA CROSSE, June 18th, 1906.

Resources.	
Loans and discounts	\$2,773,023.19
Overdrafts	1,668.03
U. S. bonds to secure cir- culation	250,000.00
Other bonds	204,800.00
Banking house	50,000.00
Other real estate	100.00
Cash Resources.	
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits	\$50,000.00
With banks	\$20,997.73
With treasur- er U. S.	12,500.00
In vaults	274,506.06
	\$858,093.79
Liabilities.	
Capital	\$250,000.00
Surplus	200,000.00
Undivided profits	29,778.19
Circulation	250,000.00
Deposits	3,407,906.82
Total	\$4,137,685.01
United States Depository.	



The dealer can tell you the merits of these goods better than we can explain them in an advertisement.

It costs you nothing to see them at the following stores:

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EVERYBODY CORDIALLY INVITED.

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# Our 14th Semi-Annual Green Tag Clearance Sale Makes An Instantaneous Hit!

The average man can tell, the moment he enters a store and looks at the price tags, whether a sale is genuine or whether it is not. Our 20 Per Cent Discount Sale is the sort of sale which proclaims its genuineness to everyone who comes in the front door. It is in fact what it is in name—a grand clearance of our complete regular stock of men's, boys' and children's clothing at 20 per cent less than regular prices. There are no pretended reductions, nor is there the slightest exaggeration connected with any detail of the sale. Every cash-saving is exactly as represented. It's a clean, wholesome, and wholly reliable sale to the very core.



## ALL MEN'S SUITS 20 Per Cent OFF

All \$8.50 Suits, 20 per cent off, at.....	\$ 6.80
All \$10.00 Suits, 20 per cent off, at.....	8.00
All \$12.50 Suits, 20 per cent off, at.....	10.00
All \$15.00 Suits, 20 per cent off, at.....	12.00
All \$16.50 Suits, 20 per cent off, at.....	13.20
All \$18.00 Suits, 20 per cent off, at.....	14.40
All \$20.00 Suits, 20 per cent off, at.....	16.00
All \$22.50 Suits, 20 per cent off, at.....	18.00
All \$24.00 Suits, 20 per cent off, at.....	19.20

## ALL BOYS' SUITS 20 Per Cent OFF

All 2.00 boys' and children's suits now go at.....	\$1.60
All 2.50 boys' and children's suits now go at.....	2.00
All 3.00 boys' and children's suits now go at.....	2.40
All 3.50 boys' and children's suits now go at.....	2.80
All 4.00 boys' and children's suits now go at.....	3.20
All 5.00 boys' and children's suits now go at.....	4.00
All 6.00 boys' and children's suits now go at.....	4.80
All 7.50 boys' and children's suits now go at.....	6.00

## ALL MEN'S PANTS 20 Per Cent to 50 Per Cent OFF

Men's pants that are marked 1.50, go for.....	\$1.20
Men's pants that are marked 2.00, go for.....	1.60
Men's pants that are marked 2.50, go for.....	2.00
Men's pants that are marked 3.00, go for.....	2.40
Men's pants that are marked 3.50, go for.....	2.80
Men's pants that are marked 4.00, go for.....	3.20
Men's pants that are marked 4.50, go for.....	3.60
Men's pants that are marked 5.00, go for.....	4.00
Men's pants that are marked 6.00, go for.....	4.80

### On the Bargain Counter

Boys' knee pants, worth 39c, special Green Tag sale price.....	19c
Boys' black cat hose, in black and tan, special Green Tag Sale price per pair.....	10c
Boys' fancy Negligee shirts, sizes 12 to 14, regular price 50c, Green Tag sale price.....	25c
Men's Negligee shirts with two separate collars, regular 65c values, special Green Tag sale price.....	45c
Boys' plain white Negligee shirts, our former price 50c, Green Tag sale price.....	35c
Boys' Balbriggan Undershirts and Drawers, our regular price 25c, Green tag sale price.....	19c
Boys' fancy percale waists, ages 4 to 14, a large assortment, special Green Tag Sale price.....	19c
Children's straw sailors, choice of any of our 50c straw sailors, during this Green Tag Sale, price.....	35c
Just received another lot of men's white handkerchiefs, the kind you pay 10c for, special Green Tag Sale, price.....	3c
Silk shield Bow's, regular 25c values, Green Tag Sale price.....	10c

### Working Men's PANTS

Other store \$1.50 kind, our former price \$1.25. Special while they last—

**85c**

See them in our 4th Street Window.

### On the Bargain Counter

A big lot of men's and boys' straw hats, worth 50c, 75c and \$1, choice..	10c
100 dozen men's 25c suspenders, special Green Tag Sale, price per pair.....	10c
Just received another lot of blue and red handkerchiefs, at other stores 10c, our special Green Tag Sale, price while they last.....	3c
Men's balbriggan underwear, regular 25c values, special Green Tag Sale, price.....	19c
Special sale of men's fancy percale shirts, worth from \$1.00 to \$1.50, our Green Tag Sale, price.....	89c
Men's fancy cotton socks, our former price 15c, special Green Tag Sale price.....	10c
Wash knee pants, regular 39c and 50c quality, our Green Tag Sale price.....	25c
Japanette initial handkerchiefs, each.....	7c
Children's fancy shirts, former price 48c, our Green Tag Sale price.....	19c



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SOUTHWEST CORNER  
FOURTH AND PEARL  
STREETS.

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Red Raspberries,  
Cherries  
and  
Blueberries.

John C. Burns Fruit House.

## WANTED RASPBERRY PICKERS

I want 30 Boys and Girls 14 years old and over to pick berries. Good pickers can earn \$1.50 per day and over. Take Freight Train at 7:30 A. M. at North Side and return at 7 P. M. New Phone 922 R.

C. VOLLENWEIDER, LA CRESCENT.

## CITY NEWS

WIRING EXPERTS, 227 MAIN.

B. S. Stafford returned from Chicago and other points this morning.  
C. N. Lamb of South Bend is in the city transacting business.  
Mrs. A. S. Farnam has been camping this week in Hokah.  
B. J. Husting, a prominent baseball fan, had one eye removed at the St. Francis hospital in Milwaukee. The other eye is so affected that he may lose it also.  
Electric fans \$9. A. O. Colby.  
Mrs. M. J. Buckley and daughters, Katherine and Margaret of Waukon, are visiting at the home of their sister, Mrs. Nash of the city.  
S. C. Lobdell, deputy revenue inspector of Minnesota, made a short stay in La Crosse.  
The fall term of the Keefe Conservatory of Music will begin Sept. 4, 1906. If you are musically inclined join our fall classes. You will find no better instruction anywhere, and our rates are the lowest. Instruction may be had in voice, piano, violin and all orchestral instruments. Enroll now and take advantage of reduced rates for opening.  
Mrs. Lewis Smith of Portage, is in the city visiting friends.  
John Wall of Caledonia is stopping at the Law.  
Mrs. E. H. Irish is visiting friends in Eau Claire this week.  
G. McReynolds is visiting friends in McGregor.  
Write to F. G. Davis, Macon, N. C., for particulars—cheapest and best

lands in U. S., elegant water, climate the best. Enough timber on every farm to pay for it. Cheap rates first and third Tuesdays.  
James Waters of Black River Falls, is stopping at the Grand.  
B. T. Henry of Lansing, is stopping at the American.  
Ethel Breakery of Alma Center, is visiting in the city.  
Mrs. C. Bjerklund is visiting friends in New Albin.  
The Tribune does not relish news twenty-four hours old.  
Mrs. John Turnbull is visiting Mrs. Crowe in Mound Prairie.  
Miss Mary Buckley of Houston, is visiting her friends in this city.  
Art Funke and John Foley are visiting in Lansing.  
E. E. Martin of Aberdeen, S. D., is at the Bronson.  
J. W. Thomas of North Bend, was a La Crosse visitor yesterday.  
Fred Eckland who has been in the employ of the Adams Express company in Minneapolis, has returned for a short visit with his parents.  
If you will soak your clothes in suds of Beach's Peosta Soap you will find your wash day drudgery lightened and your clothes unusually white—proof that Peosta Soap is different and better than common soaps.  
Guy Hinton has returned from New Lisbon where he has been visiting his brother, George.  
L. C. Mix has gone to Rice Lake for an outing the rest of the week.  
John Welda of North Bend, is in the city.  
A. M. Giffing of Madison, is in the city visiting friends.  
John F. Rutoff of Racine, is here

visiting friends.  
The fall term of the Keefe Business college will begin Sept. 4, 1906. The course of subjects includes book-keeping, arithmetic, commercial law, penmanship, language, shorthand, typewriting, spelling, etc., tabulating, filing and office practice. Reduced rates to those enrolling before the opening.  
Mrs. J. Weiland of Duluth, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Hoffman, 922 State street.  
Miss Alma Solberg and Millie Tension have returned from a short visit with friends in Hokah.  
Electric fans \$9. A. O. Colby.  
Miss Anna Breket of Racine is the city visiting friends and relatives.  
M. Erickson of Jackson, is in the city on business.  
O. P. Lyon of Austin, is transact-

## BRACELETS ARE ALL THE GO

Our line is by far the largest in the city and prices the lowest.

Signet Top Carmen.....	\$3.50
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Come and see our bracelets. You will be both surprised and pleased with the prices and general excellence of our goods.

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429 Main Street

ing business in the city.  
Messrs. Johnson & Whipple yesterday completed their forty-five day sentence for practicing without a license. They declared they had enough of Wisconsin and its laws and departed immediately for greener fields.  
C. P. Thompson, who operates a linotype in the offices of the Chicago Record-Herald, is here for a few days, visiting his brother, F. L. Thompson.  
Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.  
Mrs. S. J. Keys is in La Crosse visiting her sister, Mrs. W. G. Smith.  
Eddie Newburg, Harry Taylor and Lucien Ried, who have been camping at Trempealeau bay, have returned to their homes.  
Perry Shrake of Trempealeau, is in the city today in the interests of the Galesville Independent.  
John Miller has returned from Albert Lea, where he has been transacting business.  
Jason Kidder, clerk of the court at Fergus Falls, Minn., is in the city on business. Mr. Kidder is enroute to New York on a month's vacation.  
The Western Union Telegraph company is now established in its new quarters on Third and Main streets. It is having the swellest and most metropolitan black and gold window sign installed that has ever been seen in La Crosse.  
Get the news first, and all the news, by reading The La Crosse Tribune.  
Advertising Manager Fredericks of the Park store, expects to return tomorrow from a fishing trip.  
Frank and Will Anderson have re-

turned from a short visit in La Crosse.  
Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.  
Work is progressing rapidly on the new theater and Elks' club, the front being completed to the third floor.  
Manager Booth of the North American Telegraph company captured a large string of fish yesterday.  
CHANDELIER PARLOR, 227 Main.  
HEADACHES?  
Don't endure it. Young's Pink Powders will cure it. 10 and 25 cents.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Bids will be received at once by joint committee of Elks, Scandinavian Singers and U. C. T. for the tearing down of the Welcome arch, work to be done immediately after the conclusion of the Elks' convention, Aug. 9. Contractors address:  
ORI J. SORENSON,  
Chairman Joint Com.

'A glutted market makes provisions cheap'; but you will never know anything about markets unless you read the ads.

## Olive Oil

Having taken the La Crosse agency for the celebrated "Sylmar Brand" California Olive Oil, I guarantee this oil as the purest, finest flavored and most wholesome oil in the market. I sell it at olive growers' price, 60c the bottle.

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## HEARTY WELCOME TOUCHES HEART OF BP. SCHWEBACH

### Popular Prelate Replies in Affectionate Terms at Big Reception in Honor of his Home-Coming

One of the most hearty welcomes ever given any individual in La Crosse was tendered the Rt. Rev. Bishop James Schwebach last evening at about 6 o'clock when, accompanied by a score of priests, he alighted from his car at the Burlington depot, corner Second and Pearl streets, amid the ringing of all the church bells in the city and the playing of Kreutz's band.

Several thousand people were congregated at the depot to see him arrive and were well repaid by the beaming smiles and bows of gratitude which the bishop freely distributed while he was making his way to his carriage. All along the route of the march to the cathedral, and afterward to the bishop's residence, several thousands of people lined the streets. The cathedral was crowded and half those seeking entrance had to remain on the outside, where they blocked the entrance and patiently awaited the reappearance of the bishop.

The train arrived a little before 6:15. The walk at the depot fairly swarmed with people and it was with much difficulty that the Bohemian guards, in full uniform succeeded in clearing an avenue to the bishop's carriage.

All the Catholic societies of the city were well represented but there would no doubt have been twice the number had the event occurred at a time of the day when they could leave their work.

Five carriages, drawn by horses, all of which had large red plumes on their heads, in which were the bishop and the priests who had accompanied him, was near the end of the procession from Pearl to Main, and up Main through the Welcome arch to the cathedral, followed by the uniformed rank of the Bohemian guards.

The Knights of Columbus each wore a red carnation. At the cathedral all of those in the parade hurried to their respective seats, after which as many as possible of the large multitude on the outside found seats on either side of the center aisle.

The bishop was preceded on his way to the altar by a number of priests and was followed by the uniformed guards who stood on duty in the aisle during the entire services.

After the services the bishop rendered a short address of thanks. On account of the fact that he was somewhat tired, the address was short and he said that he would speak to them at their various churches upon some other occasion.

#### Tells of Travels

The bishop said: "I thank you, from my heart, for and good will." He told them with his usual smiling countenance that he "was glad, glad that he was again home among those whom he loved" and those who loved him. He admitted that he had been completely surprised by the great welcome he had been given, after which he told of his meeting with Pope Pius X. and gave a short description of his travels.

"The pope," said Bishop Schwebach, "is one of the grandest men whom I have ever had the honor to meet—so amiable—with such a large heart." He then told them that he had occasion to speak upon many occasions while in Europe and told the people there of the Catholics in America and found that they were greatly pleased with the report.

He told of the beauty of the services which he attended at the St. Peter's cathedral where the altar was covered with thousands and thousands of electric lights and candles, and that during the services the transparent form of a sister of charity suddenly appeared in the top of the altar surrounded by visages of angels. He said that the scene was a most beautiful one, so much so that it almost seemed as if he were given a glimpse into Heaven itself.

He then spoke of a great jumping parade which he attended at his old

home at Luxemburg, Germany, where about forty thousand people, boys and girls of about 20 and 24 years, old men and women, some of them with their children, were participating.

"The jumping parade was for the purpose of doing penance," said the bishop, "and most severe penance it was. At first the sight seemed somewhat amusing, but after I had looked at the thousands of jumping people for a short time, the smile vanished and tears streamed down my cheeks and I could not bear to witness the scene." This lasted for six hours, he said.

He again thanked the people and said that he was glad to be with them again after which he said he did not wish to keep them any longer but would tell them more of his travels in their various churches.

#### March to Bishopric

The societies then filed out in the same order in which they had entered and made their way to the bishop's residence, which was beautifully decorated with the papal colors of yellow and white, which were draped to each side of the front of the house from beneath a large American flag.

Upon the arrival of the bishop at his residence he passed between the two rows of guards to the door of his residence which burst open as the hand of Father Rapp, the bishop's secretary, was thrust into his own.

The bishop then greeted the remaining local clergy and then went inside for a moment to greet his servants after which he returned to the porch and seated himself in a large arm chair while Father Mayor Boschert rendered an address of welcome in behalf of the assembled concourse. Mr. Boschert said in part:

"Right Rev. Bishop Schwebach. It affords me great pleasure and honor to be designated by the Catholic societies and Catholics of this city, in their behalf, to extend to your lordship a hearty welcome on this occasion of your return to our city and midst, from your visit to the Holy Father, and the land of your birth.

"The multitude of Catholics assembled here show to you the love and esteem they have for you, more eloquently than any words I can find to express.

"Your labors as bishop in this diocese for many years have been many and arduous, and it was gratifying to your people when they learned that you were about to take a much needed vacation and make a visit to the Holy Father, and the land of your birth. And we now rejoice over your safe return to us refreshed and better able to attend to your many duties.

"We Catholics assembled here pledge to you our obedience, loyalty and assistance in the great work of the Catholic church.

"I again in behalf of this assembly bid you a hearty welcome, and may the years you may be with us be many, is the prayer of all your people."

Bishop Schwebach in response said in part:

"My dear people: Once more I thank you for this grand turnout and for this manifestation of esteem and kindly feeling toward me. It is with extreme joy that I arrive home after my short trip abroad. It was not for pleasure that I went away. The Holy Father called me to Rome to give a report of this district. I am glad, extremely glad that I was able to give a good report of the La Crosse diocese, and the Holy Father was pleased. Once more I want to thank you for this proof of affection and the cordial reception you have given me."

The bishop's remarks were greeted with terrific applause and after smiling and bowing his thanks for the ovation the clergy retired into the house while the people wended their way to their homes.

The applause with which he was greeted was terrific.

## UNIQUE THEATRE OPENS TOMORROW

With the opening of the Unique theater, between Pearl and Main streets on Third street, tomorrow evening this city will be given the advantages of entertainment afforded by an up-to-date family theater of a class now highly approved in all progressive cities.

Thus far theaters of the style of the Unique have been operated for the most part in cities of greater population than La Crosse, but their popularity has been such as to encourage their establishment and operation in live cities of this size. La Crosse is one of the first of its class of towns to enjoy the advantages of the latest form of theatrical amusement.

The entertainment consists in highest grade moving pictures and illustrated songs. It is a continuous performance from 1:30 o'clock until 5 p. m., and from 7:30 until 11 p. m. The admission is 10 cents to adults and 5 cents to children.

The management has provided a cool and sanitary building, and will conduct the place in a way to invite fastidious trade. They urge parents to rest assured that their children are safe in coming unattended, and ushers are instructed not to permit any form of coarseness or rowdiness in or near the entrance to the building. It will be a resort for gentlemen and ladies, and the outlook is for a good attendance and general popularity.

## WOULD USE ARMY WEAPONS TO FIX SALOON KEEPER

George Dunn, an old soldier, was today sentenced to twenty days in the county jail for carrying concealed weapons.

It seems that Mr. Dunn while drunk was ejected from the saloon run by Fred Burrow, after which he threatened to "fix" Burrow, with the result that he was arrested upon a warrant sworn out by Burrow.

Upon being searched after his arrest a 38-caliber revolver was found upon his person.

## FATHER OF MRS. JOHN GUND DEAD

Yesterday word was received of the death of Conrad Bohn, father of Mrs. John Gund, who was formerly a resident of La Crosse, at Louisville, Ky.

Mr. Bohn was a well known contractor and was one of the early pioneers of Winona. Mr. Bohn was well known in this city.

Mr. Bohn was born in Hesse-Cassel, Germany, in 1836. He came to this country and settled in New York in 1851. He remained in that city for five years, following his trade as a carpenter and builder. He then came further west to Chicago, and after remaining there for a year removed to Winona in 1857. He established himself there as a carpenter and builder. In 1866 he started a small planing mill which business grew into a large establishment employing over 100 men.

## STURDEVANT

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effect that one ice man in the combine has aid to friends that he opposed the combine, and now there would be trouble. Another is quoted as saying recently: "Boyd will soon be out of ice, and then we'll charge what we d—n please." Beside Langdon & Boyd, there are three other small concerns selling ice, but they do not suffice to break the control of prices.

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The *Quality* of the *Malt* decides the body of a beer. *Blatz Malt* is produced in the brewery's own malt house by trained Malsters (years in Blatz service). "Not only how much malt—but how good" is here the inviolable rule. This method is expensive, but the desired result is always achieved—the *vital ingredients* of the malt are thereby brought out and retained. To the Blatz malt is due the prevailing *full-bodied state of Blatz Beer*.

The *Hops* used in the brewing of Blatz Beer are rich in *aromatic properties* and *tonics* (hopbitters), which lend to the beer that fragrance which captivates lovers of the beverage. The tonics act as a *mild stimulant* to the *digestion*. Blatz Beer is *perfectly fermented* and *ripened* in the *coldest* and *cleanest cellars extant*.

The most skilled masters zealously guard "Blatz" *individuality*. The paramount object being to maintain with absolute uniformity every characteristic that has these many years meant *Blatz Quality*.

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## RAILROAD RATES

### LOW RATES TO ST. PAUL AND MINNEAPOLIS G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT

\$3.50 to St. Paul or Minneapolis and Return

Via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway account annual encampment Grand Army of the Republic at Minneapolis, Aug. 13 to 16. Tickets will be on sale Aug. 11 to 14, inclusive. Final return limit Aug. 31, 1906. Liberal extension granted on payment of small extension fee. For further information regarding rates, routes or train service, see nearest ticket agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, or write today to F. A. Miller, general passenger agent, Chicago.

### NEW HOMES IN THE WEST. Shoshone Reservation to be Opened to Settlement.

CHICAGO & NORTH-WESTERN  
RAILWAY

Announces Round Trip Excursion  
Rates from all Points July 12 to 29.

Less than one fare for the round trip to Shoshoni, Wyo., the reservation border.

The only all rail route to the reservation border.

Dates of registration July 16th to 31st at Shoshoni and Lander. Reached only by this line.

Write for pamphlets, telling how to take up one of these attractive homesteads.

ference as to the disposition of troops to the best advantage in case of trouble. There is the greatest apprehension among the people, and doomsday members are equally nervous. Today's session was quiet and in contrast with that of yesterday.

## HANDSOME PAIR NIPPED FOR THEFT

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

NEW YORK, July 20.—A handsome young woman giving her name as Miss Elizabeth McBeatty of this city and a man of good appearance describing himself as Alfred King, a bookmaker, aged 31 of this city, were arrested supposedly in connection with the theft of \$50,000 worth of jewels from Mrs. Halsey Corwin.

Miss McBeatty is supposed to be the runaway wife of a millionaire living at Riverside, Cal.

It is stated she came to New York two years ago and has known Mrs. Corwin about six months.

King is alleged to be the husband of May Bonner, a woman well known to the police, who deserted King to become the mistress of "Big" Cleveland, a bank burglar.

The couple were arraigned, charged with grand larceny, and were held in default of \$5,000 bail.

## H. C. HEATH, OLD RESIDENT, GONE

Word came to this city last Sunday of the death in Los Angeles of H. C. Heath, for many years a resident and citizen of La Crosse. Deceased has resided in Los Angeles during the last five years.

Mr. Heath leaves three brothers, Frank Heath of Tacoma, Wash., Edward Heath of Plattsburgh, N. Y., and George Heath of Los Angeles; also a daughter, Mrs. S. B. Oatman, and a granddaughter, Mrs. W. J. Brayton. The remains are enroute to this city for interment. The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Information, maps and pamphlets free on request to W. B. Kniskern, P. T. M., Chicago, Ill.

### \$2.25 to Kilbourn and Return

Via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad. Special train leaves 7:30 a. m. Tuesday, July 24. Returning will leave Kilbourn 7 p. m. Excursion ticket includes boat ride through the Dells of Wisconsin, and provides for an outing composed only of attractive features. For further information see nearest ticket agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway.

### Very Low Excursion Rates to St. Paul and Minneapolis, Minn.,

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold July 24, 25 and 26, with favorable return limits, on account of Saengerfest of the Saengerbund of the Northwest at St. Paul. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

### Excursion Tickets to La Shetek Tracy, (Minn.).

Will be sold by the North-Western Line at reduced rates during the summer season from La Crosse, Wis., on Fridays and Saturdays at \$7.45 for the round trip, limited to return until the following Tuesday, and at \$11.05 for the round trip daily, limited to return within thirty days. Lake Shetek is a beautiful summer and fall resort where the best of fishing and hunting can be found, prairie chickens, snipe, ducks and geese being

plentiful. Good hotel and livery accommodations at very reasonable rates. The following lakes can be reached from this point: Current Lake, Lake Siegel, Lake Fremont, Lake Sarah, Bear Lake, Long Lake, Buffalo Lake, Iron Lake, Beauty Lake, Willow Lake, Lake Isabella and Clear Lake.

### \$75.00 to the Pacific Coast and Return from Chicago. Correspondingly Low Round-Trip Rates From Other Points.

Via the Chicago, Union Pacific & North-Western Line daily, June 1 to Sept. 30, to San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, Seattle and Tacoma and other Pacific Coast points. Very low rates to Helena, Butte, Spokane, Ogden and Salt Lake City. Daily and personally conducted excursions in Pullman tourist sleeping cars to San Francisco, Los Angeles and Portland, through without change Double berth only \$7.00 from Chicago and \$5.75 from Omaha. Choice of routes. For rates, tickets, etc., apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Miss Charlotte and Aletha Black of St. Paul are in the city for a few days the guests of Miss Louise Harrison.

H. P. Proctor, J. Bennt and Jackson Silbaugh of Viroqua are in attendance before Judge Fruit today, in the circuit court.

"Buy things that are advertised" is merely a part of the "thrift-creed."

## KNIGHTS BATTLE ON DIAMOND

Lodges Nos. 57 and 109 of the Knights of Pythias will play ball tomorrow afternoon at the league ball grounds at 3 p. m. It is expected there will be a large attendance as this game is expected to be a hard one, the former game having been won by the North side lodge.

The lineup for the two lodges follows:

K. of P. No. 109—Wachs, ss; Lundgren, c; Swan, p; Raymond, 2b; Kerr, lf; Orton, 1b; Kurtenacker, 3b; Huser, rf; Rawlinson, cf; subs, Rose, and Kianrud.

K. of P. No. 57—Lowry, 3b; Early, ss; Wartinbee, 1b; Stuesser, c; Braeke, rf; Vaughn, cf; Miller, 2b; Durland, lf; Maxwell, p; sub, Major Stevenson.

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# THE TRIBUNE WANT COLUMN

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## HELP WANTED—FEMALE

**LADIES**—Our catalogue explains how we teach hairdressing, manicuring, etc., quickly, mailed free. Moler College, Chicago, Ill.

**CHOCOLATE ROLLERS**. La Crosse Cracker & Candy company, candy department.

**WANTED**—Girls at the La Crosse Knitting Works. Apply at the office at once.

**WANTED**—Competent girl for general housework, 109 South Fourteenth street.

**WANTED**—Girls in the bottling department. Jno. Gund Brg. Co.

**COMPETENT** girl who can understand German. 313 Pearl.

**WANTED**—Mangling girls. Modern Steam Laundry.

**WANTED**—At once, a dishwasher, at Hotel Law.

## FOR SALE

**IF SOLD** before Aug. 1, 1906, I will sell the lot on northeast corner of Thirtieth and Johnson street for \$500. Size of lot 67x140 feet. H. Niebuhr, 328 Pearl street.

**FOR SALE**—Improved quarter-section, near Thief River Falls, Minn. Eighty acres under cultivation. Good buildings. Price \$2,400. Easy terms. New telephone 241-C.

**FOR SALE**—Household goods. Inquire at 214 South Seventh street.

**FOR SALE**—Property at 1408 Vine, fine location, good bargain.

**FOR SALE**—Good working horse. 513 King street.

## FOR RENT

**FOR RENT**—Furnished room in modern house, centrally located; gentlemen preferred. Apply 1122 Main street.

**FOR RENT**—Two furnished summer cottages at Dakota, Minn. Mrs. A. Guillaume, corner Fifth and Main.

**FOR RENT**—Suite of unfurnished rooms, Enquire at 110 North Third street.

**FOR RENT**—Nicely furnished rooms, 124 North Tenth street.

**FOR RENT**—Four-room house at 425 North Eleventh street.

## HELP WANTED—MALE

**MEN**—Our catalogue explains how we teach barber trade in short time, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

**WANTED**—First class cabinet maker. Vought-Berger company.

**WANTED**—Boys at the J. Gund Brg. Co. Bottling Dept.

## WANTED—FURNISHED ROOMS.

**WANTED**—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Mr. Stanley Pale, 325 South Fifth street.

## POSITION WANTED

**WANTED**—Positions by three young men. Address E. L. Tribune.

## FINANCIAL

**MONEY TO LOAN**—Diamonds, watches, etc. Stevens, 510 Main street.

**LOANS** made salaried people on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 822 Main Street, up stairs.

Thomas Morris, Fred H. Hartwell.  
**MORRIS & HARTWELL, LAWYERS.**  
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Long Distance Phone.

New phone—179—Old phone  
**Gateway City Transfer Line**  
Baggage, all kinds heavy draying, pianos, safes and household goods. Finest bus in the city for picnics etc., 215-217 Vine Street, La Crosse, Wis.

# THE MARKETS

## LA CROSSE WHOLESALE.

### Poultry.

Old Chickens—8@9c.  
Spring Chickens—12@13c.  
Turkeys—12@14c.  
Ducks—9 to 10c.  
Geese—8 to 9c.

### Pigeons—90c a dozen.

### Butter and Eggs.

No. 1 Dairy—18c.  
Roll Butter—17c.  
Creamery Butter—22c.  
Eggs—13@16c.

### Fruit

California Lemons—\$6.  
Bananas, per bunch—\$1.75 to \$3.00.  
Oranges—Med'n sweets and seedlings—\$3.75 to \$5.50.  
California Peaches—Box, \$2.25.  
Plums—Crate, \$1.75 to \$2.

### Grain.

Wheat—72@74c.  
Flax—Per pound, 45c.  
Barley—Bushel, 35@38c.  
Corn—40 to 45c.  
Rye—45@50c.  
Oats—Bushel, 33@35c.

### Mill Feed.

Shorts, per ton, \$18.  
White Middlings, per ton, \$19.  
Red Dog, per ton, \$20.  
Bran, per ton, \$17.

### Provisions.

Lard, 934 to 1034c.  
Hams—13@14c.  
Bacon—13@14c.  
Shoulders, 10c.  
Picnic Hams, 934c.  
Dry Beef, 14 1/2 to 16 1/2c.

### Livestock.

Hobs—\$5.80 to \$6.35.  
Cattle—Steers, \$2.50 to \$3.50; heifers, \$2 to \$3.  
Sheep—\$3 to \$4.  
Lambs—\$4.50 to \$5.50.

### Cheese.

Cream Twins—11@11 1/2c.  
Brick Cheese—9 1/2@10c.  
Limburger—11@12c.  
Daisies—11 1/2c.  
Swiss Round—15 1/2c.  
Swiss Block—15c.  
German Hand Cheese—per box 90c.

### Flour.

Patent, per barrel, \$4.40.  
Straight, per barrel, \$4.20.

## LA CROSSE RETAIL.

Eggs, strictly fresh, 18c.  
Butter—Dairy, 15@20c; creamery, 23c.

Oranges—Dozen, 50c.  
Lemons—Dozen, 30c.  
Bananas—Dozen, 20c.  
Pineapple—Each, 10 to 15c.  
Grapefruit—Each, 12 1/2@20c.  
Cherries—Pound, 30c.  
Pie Cherries—Quart, 12 1/2c.  
Gooseberries—Quart, 12 1/2c.  
Blueberries—Quart, 12 1/2c.  
Black Raspberries—Quart, 15c.  
Red Raspberries—Quart, 15c.

### Vegetables.

Rockford Melons—10c.  
Head Lettuce—Bunch, 5@10c.  
Celery—Bunch, 5c.  
Cauliflower—Each, 15@20c.  
Parsley—Bunch, 5c.  
New Cabbage—Each, 5@10c.  
New Potatoes—Peck, 25c.  
Old Potatoes—Bushel, \$1.  
Carrots—Three bunches, 5c.  
Beets—Two bunches, 5c.  
Cucumbers—5c.  
Tomatoes—Basket, 35c.  
Wax Beans—Pound, 7c.  
Green Beans—Pound, 10c.  
Home Grown Peas—Peck, 30c.  
Cocoanuts—Each, 5 to 10c.  
Lettuce, home grown—2 bunches for 5c.

Onions, home grown—3 bunches, 5c.  
Pie Plant—Three pounds, 5c.  
Spinach, home grown—Peck, 20c.  
Radishes, home grown—3 bunches for 5c.

### Fish.

Pickered, 5c; pike, 8c; white, 10c; trout, 10c; salmon, 15c; herring 4 to 5c; halibut, 12c; perch, 6c.

### Prices on City Market.

Hay—New, per ton, \$7@8.  
Hay—Wild, per ton, \$6.  
Straw—Per ton, \$5.

### EXCURSIONS.

The C. M. & St. P. Ry will sell excursion tickets for the following events at very low rates:

For Pacific coast and intermediate points, sell June 1st to Sept. 15th.

For Denver, Colorado Springs and Ogden, Utah, sell June 1st to Sept. 30th.

For Biennial Saengerfest at St. Paul, July 26 to 29.

For Canadian and New England points, dates in July, August and Sept.

For rates, dates of sale, limits, etc., call at ticket office.

**Friday and Saturday Excursion Rates to Devils Lake, Wis.**

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets to this beautiful summer resort are on sale Fridays and Saturdays, limited for return until the Monday following, affording opportunity for enjoying this delightful outing without inconvenience to business. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

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All material to be furnished and all work to be done under the direction and supervision and to the satisfaction and acceptance of the board of public works aforesaid. Said work to be completed on or before October 15, 1906.

The bidder in making his proposal shall make same in conformity with the form of proposal mentioned in the specifications for said work.

All proposals shall be sealed and directed to said board of public works. Said bidder shall file with said board of public works at least twenty-four hours before the opening of said bid, a bond to the city of La Crosse in the penal sum of Two Thousand Four Hundred and Thirty (\$2,430.00) Dollars, surety company bonds preferable. The bond shall be signed by the bidder and two responsible sureties, who shall each make affidavit that he is the owner of real estate in the county of La Crosse free from encumbrance and subject to execution, of a cash value equal to the sum of Two Thousand Four Hundred and Thirty (\$2,430.00) Dollars, conditioned that said bidder shall enter into contract and a new bond with good and sufficient sureties within ten days after the awarding of said contract.

No bond will be required of any bidder who at the time he offers his proposal, shall deposit with the board of public works aforesaid a cash deposit in the sum of Twelve Hundred and Fifteen (\$1,215.00) Dollars under an agreement that the same shall be returned to him in case the contract is not awarded to such bidder, or in case he makes no default in entering into contract with satisfactory bond and sureties within ten days after the awarding of said contract, if his bid is accepted.

If the contractor fails to complete his said contract within the time specified in said contract he shall pay to the city of La Crosse the sum of Forty-one (\$41.00) Dollars per day for each and every day said contract remains incomplete after the time specified in said contract.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 18th day of July, 1906.  
H. J. BECKWITH,  
ARTHUR J. ROBERGE,  
GEORGE FALK,  
Commissioners of Public Works.  
Audited July 18, 1906.  
C. H. CONNOR,  
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All proposals shall be sealed and directed to said board of public works. Said bidder shall file with said board of public works at least twenty-four hours before the opening of said bid, a bond to the city of La Crosse in the penal sum of Three Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty-five (\$3,255.00) Dollars, surety company bonds preferable. The bond shall be signed by the bidder and two responsible sureties, who shall each make affidavit that he is the owner of real estate in the county of La Crosse free from encumbrance and subject to execution, of a cash value equal to the sum of Three Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty-five (\$3,255.00) Dollars, conditioned that said bidder shall enter into contract and a new bond with good and sufficient sureties within ten days after the awarding of said contract conditioned that he will execute and fully perform his said contract according to his said proposal and specifications therefor, in case said contract is awarded to him.

No bond will be required of any bidder who at the time he offers his proposal, shall deposit with the board of public works aforesaid a certified check in the sum of One Thousand Six Hundred and Twenty-eight (\$1,628.00) Dollars under an agreement that the same shall be returned to him in case the contract is not awarded to such bidder, or in case he makes no default in entering into contract with satisfactory bond and sureties within ten days after the awarding of said contract, if his bid is accepted.

If the contractor fails to complete his said contract within the time specified in said contract he shall pay to the city of La Crosse the sum of Fifty-four (\$54.00) Dollars per day for each and every day said contract remains incomplete after the time specified in said contract.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

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## Notice of Primary Election

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE,

State of Wisconsin.

County of La Crosse, ss.

Notice is hereby given that a primary election will be held in the several towns, villages, wards and election precincts of said county on the 4th day of September, 1906, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices, to be voted for at the general election to be held on the 6th day of November, 1906:

Candidates for governor in place of James O. Davidson, who, by virtue of holding the office of Lieutenant Governor, succeeded to the office of Governor upon the resignation of Robert M. La Follette, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D., 1907.

Candidates for Lieutenant Governor in place of James O. Davidson, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1907.

Candidates for Secretary of State, in place of Walter L. Houser, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1907.

Candidates for State Treasurer, in place of John J. Kempf, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1907.

Candidates for Attorney General in place of Lafayette M. Sturdevant, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1907.

Candidates for Commissioner of Insurance in place of Zeno M. Host, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1907.

Candidates for Representative in Congress for the Seventh Congressional District, consisting of the counties of Pepin, Buffalo, Trempealeau, Jackson, Eau Claire, Clark, Monroe and La Crosse, in place of John J. Esch, whose term of office will expire on March 4th, 1907.

Candidates for Members of Assembly for the First Assembly District of La Crosse County, consisting of the town of Campbell, the first, second, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, ninth, tenth, eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth, fifteenth, sixteenth, nineteenth and twentieth wards of the city of La Crosse, in place of John J. Durland, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1907.

Candidates for Member of Assembly for the Second Assembly District of the County of La Crosse, consisting of the towns of Bangor, Barre, Burns, Farmington, Greenfield, Hamilton, Holland, Onalaska, Shelby and Washington, the villages of Bangor and West Salem, the third, eighth, seventeenth and eighteenth wards of the City of La Crosse, the twenty-first ward of the city of La Crosse, and the City of Onalaska, in place of Thomas Johnson, whose term of office

will expire on the first Monday of January, 1907.

Candidate for County Clerk in place of Charles H. Rawlinson, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1907.

Candidates for County Treasurer, in place of Herman Roesler, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1907.

Candidates for Sheriff, in place of John S. Houghton, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1907.

Candidates for Coroner, in place of Edward Cronon, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1907.

Candidates for Clerk of the Circuit Court, in place of George D. Wright, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1907.

Candidates for District Attorney, in place of Otto Bosshard, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1907.

Candidates for Register of Deeds, in place of John Streeter, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1907.

Candidates for Surveyor, in place of George P. Bradish, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1907.

C. H. RAWLINSON,  
County Clerk.  
Dated this 14th day of July, 1906.

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Water extensions on the following streets to-wit:  
On Tenth street from Adams street to Farnam street, on Tenth street from Market street to Mississippi street, on Cass street from Twentieth street to Twenty-third street, on Sixth street from Cass street to Mississippi street, on Winnebago street from Sixteenth street to Eighteenth street, on Denton street from No. 5 fire station to Petty street, on Mormon Coulee road from Michel street to Fremont street, on Hood street from Ninth street to Tenth street.

All material to be furnished and all work to be done under the direction and supervision and to the satisfaction and acceptance of the board of public works aforesaid. Said work to commence forthwith and to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of November, 1906.

The bidder in making his proposal shall make same in conformity with the form of proposal mentioned in the specifications for said work.

All proposals shall be sealed and directed to said board of public works. Said bidder shall file a bond to the city of La Crosse in the sum of twelve hundred (\$1,200) dollars surety company bonds preferable. The bond shall be signed by the bidder and two responsible sureties, who shall each make affidavit that he is the owner of real estate in the county of La Crosse free from encumbrances and subject to execution, of a cash value equal to the sum of twelve hundred (\$1,200) dollars, conditioned that said bidder will enter into contract and a new bond with good and sufficient sureties within ten days after the awarding of said contract, conditioned that he will execute and fully perform his contract according to his said proposal and specifications therefore, in case said contract is awarded to him.

No bond will be required of any

bidder who at the time he offers his proposal, shall deposit with the board of public works aforesaid a cash deposit of six hundred (\$600.00) dollars under an agreement that the same shall be returned to him in case the contract is not awarded to such bidder, or in case he makes no default in entering into contract with satisfactory bonds and sureties within ten days after the awarding of said contract, if his bid is accepted.

If the contractor fails to complete his said contract within the time specified in said contract he shall pay to the City of La Crosse the sum of twenty (\$20) dollars per day for each and every day said contract remains incomplete after the time specified in the said contract.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 17th day of July, 1906.  
H. J. BECKWITH, ARTHUR J. ROBERGE, GEORGE FALK, Commissioners of Public Works.  
Audited July 17, 1906.  
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No bond will be required of any bidder who at the time he offers his proposal, shall deposit with the board of public works aforesaid a cash deposit of twelve hundred and fifty (\$1,250.00) dollars under an agreement that the same shall be returned to him in case the contract is not awarded to such bidder or in case he makes no default in entering into contract with satisfactory bonds and sureties within ten days after the awarding of said contract, if his bid is accepted.

If the contractor fails to complete his said contract within the time specified in said contract he shall pay to the city of La Crosse the sum of forty (\$40.00) dollars per day for each and every day said contract remains incomplete after the time specified in said contract.

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Dated this 17th day of July, 1906.  
H. J. BECKWITH, ARTHUR J. ROBERGE, GEORGE FALK, Commissioners of the Board of Public Works.

Audited July 17, 1906. C. H. CONNOR, Comptroller.

## Special Excursion Rates to Colorado, Utah and the Black Hills.

Via the North-Western Line. Beginning June 1st excursion tickets will be sold daily to Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Salt Lake City, Hot Springs, Deadwood, Lead and Custer, S. D., etc., good to return until October 31. Specially low rate round trip tickets to these and other points, with favorable return limits, will be sold the first and third Tuesday of each month until September 18, inclusive. A splendid opportunity is offered for an enjoyable vacation trip. Several trains via the North-Western Line daily. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

# To the Dells of the Wisconsin

Tuesday, July 24.

Only \$2.25 for the round trip from La Crosse, including glorious boat ride through the Dells.

Special train service via the

Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway

Leave La Crosse 7.30 a.m.

Leave Kilbourn 7.00 p.m.

Low rates and special train service from intermediate

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For additional information ask the agent or write today to

F. A. MILLER

General Passenger Agent



## ..Saturday Clearing Sale..

### Handkerchiefs

Ladies' unlaundried hand embroidered and hemstitched 25c value, each .....15c

### Elastics

Silk elastics, all colors, for children, 25c value, pr...10c

### Back Combs

Ladies' fancy back combs, good assortment, 75c value, pair.....49c

### Neckwear

Ladies' lace and embroidery collars, neat and pretty, 25c value, each.....10c

### Gauze Vests

Ladies' gauze vests, well made, sleeveless, 25c grade, each .....15c

### Gents' Underwear

Gents' ribbed shirts and drawers, all sizes, good wearing quality, each .....21c

### Corset Covers

Ladies' fine lace and embroidery corset covers \$1.00 values, each.....45c

### WAIST SALE

Ladies' shirt waists, all-over embroidery, Persian lawn, with fine tucks and wide embroidery insertion fronts, values up to \$2.50, Saturday only, **\$1.00** each.....

## LA CROSSE TAKES A THIRD STRAIGHT GAME

### CHAMPS HAVE NO COMPASSION ON G. B.

Teams' Standings.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
La Crosse	40	20	.666
Freeport	41	22	.650
Green Bay	32	29	.524
Oshkosh	28	31	.474
Eau Claire	23	40	.365
Wausau	20	42	.322

#### Results Yesterday

Green Bay, 1; La Crosse, 5.  
Eau Claire, 2; Freeport, 16.  
Oshkosh, 1; Wausau, 4.

#### Games Today

La Crosse at Green Bay.  
Freeport at Eau Claire.  
Oshkosh at Wausau.

#### Games Tomorrow

La Crosse at Oshkosh.  
Freeport at Wausau.  
Eau Claire at Green Bay.

La Crosse, 5; Green Bay, 1  
La Crosse yesterday won the third straight game from Green Bay. Charles for Green Bay received poor support and Schneiberg for the champions pitched a hard game. Score: R. H. E.

La Crosse .....203000000—5 7 1  
Green Bay.....100000000—1 5 5  
Batteries—Schneiberg and Killian; Charles and Lannon.

Freeport likewise won, defeating Eau Claire by the terrific score of 16 to 2.

For the remainder of this week the La Crosse club plays at Oshkosh and next week goes to Wausau, coming here July 29 for a series with the arch enemy, Freeport. La Crosse still heads the league, but by a narrow margin, and Freeport is expected to press the champs hard when the Wausau series is played. However, La Crosse has a "whack" at Wausau immediately thereafter and thus plays even.

Frederickson, formerly with Green Bay and now playing left field for La Crosse, is a good fielder, but is not very strong at the bat.

#### Wausau, 4; Oshkosh, 1

WAUSAU, Wis., July 20.—Wausau defeated Oshkosh here yesterday, the game being fast and interesting throughout. Catcher Moore of Oshkosh sustained a badly sprained thumb at the close of the first inning and had to quit. Score: R. H. E.  
Oshkosh .....000000010—1 5 7  
Wausau .....100001020—4 7 0  
Batteries—Smith and Kusta; Garlic, Moore and Dolan.

#### Freeport, 16; Eau Claire, 2

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., July 20.—Eau Claire trounced three pitchers against Freeport, and got the worst beating in the history of the Wisconsin state league. After the fourth inning the game was fierce. The fans took it as a joke with the score at 12 to 0. It was listless ball all the way after that. Score:  
Eau Claire .....000101000—2  
Freeport .....301820020—16  
Batteries—Skopec, Fiske, Doyle and Asmussen; Flynn and Erickson.

### OBERHOLZER TO INSPECT WEATHER STATIONS

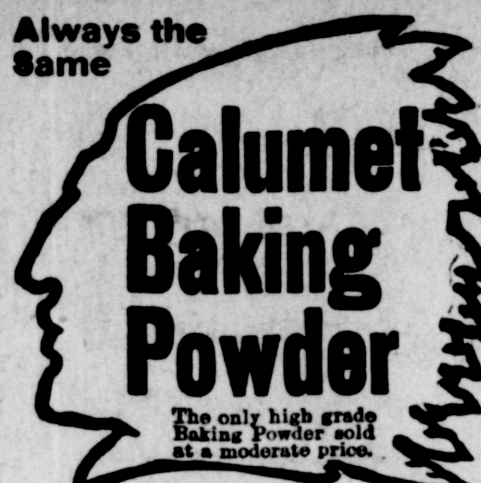
Weather Forecaster G. R. Oberholzer expects to leave Monday on a tour of inspection throughout the state of Wisconsin. He will visit important upriver stations touching at Wabasha, Red Wing, Stillwater, Black River Falls, Chippewa Falls, Kilbourn, Grand Rapids and Prairie du Chien. He will then go east on a pleasure trip. He will be gone about six weeks. D. G. Cogswell of the Madison observatory, will take charge of the bureau here while Mr. Oberholzer is absent.

#### COBALT.

a newly discovered region, rich in silver and other metals, is conveniently reached by the Grand Trunk Railway system.

A well prepared booklet descriptive of the section will be mailed, on application to Geo. W. Vaux, A. G. P. & T. A., Grand Trunk Railway System, 135 Adams St., Chicago.

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## BASEBALL DURING ELKS' CONVENTION

There will be league baseball played here during two of the three days of the Elks' state convention, Aug. 7, 8 and 9.

On Aug. 7, the La Crosse team plays Green Bay. Aug. 8 is an off day. On Aug. 9 the Wausau team opens a series.

This arrangement is considered excellent, as it is not likely that the game would get any attendance from the visitors on Aug. 8, if a game were played, as the grand parade is held on that date.

## QUINCY WILL BE RAISED SOON

Captain Frank Fugina of the steamer Fountain City says that in his opinion the Quincy is righting herself more every day and it more level now than it has been before.

Divers who are working on the boat say they found a stove in her bow ten by two feet. They have not been able as yet to work way around her because of the manner in which she is lying.

Material for raising the boat is being hurried and the work of raising her will begin soon.

## YOUNG FISH ARE DYING IN MARSH

Anglers have complained to the game warden that hundreds of young fish of the game variety are dying in the marshes and lowlands about the vicinity as a result of the receding waters. It is not thought, however, that anything can be done to save them, unless the state fish commission or the government hatchery officials take action.

## BUYERS ARE AFTER TOBACCO

There has been a race throughout La Crosse, Vernon and Crawford counties the past ten days in effort to secure the growing tobacco crop. These fields have been thoroughly covered by foreign and home buyers and almost "any old price" that a grower might place on his acreage has been

## PICTURE FRAMING

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Saturday to be another day of Price Cutting, in all cases costs are overlooked.

\$15.00 Women's Suits made of all wool mix-  
tures, Saturday.....**\$4.85**  
\$25.00 Suits made of finest materials, Saturday.....**\$8.85**  
\$35.00 and \$40.00 suits made of voiles and etamines, Saturday.....**\$12.75**

\$20.00 Coats made of Silk Pongee and Etamine, Saturday.....**\$4.95**

\$25.00 Black Taffeta Silk Coats, Saturday at.....**\$5.95**

### Saturday at 9 O'Clock Until Sold

**\$5.00 and \$6.00 White Silk Waists at the Low Price of.....\$1.95**

**\$2.00 Fancy Voile Waists, Light Blue or Pink, at only.....98c**

**One Waist to a Customer, no telephone orders taken no lay bys permitted.**

**Come Personally at 9 O'Clock.**

One \$75.00 voile Suit with Silk drop, Saturday.....**\$9.85**

Three \$50.00 Panama Suits, tan shades Saturday.....**\$15.00**

## 50c ON THE DOLLAR FOR THIS SEASON'S HANDSOME SUITS

Everybody knows the quality and style of these garments, but go they must. So the July Clearance Price Cutter says: Take your choice Saturday for

## : ONE HALF PRICE :

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## Men's, Women's and Children's Clothing

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agreed upon. It is reported that quite a percentage of the farmers have disposed of their respective crops, some of them before the plants were even in the ground. It is indeed a peculiar situation. Nothing less than 10 cents has been paid, and the average is 12 to 14, some going as high as 17 and 18 cents. Nothing like it was ever known before. The giving of options on part of some to a stated date has operated in a measure against straight contract buying.

### FOG DELAYS PACKET

Because of the fog on Lake Pepin the Diamond Jo packet St. Paul was late ten hours in arriving here. The packet Sydney which is running on the schedule time of the wrecked Quincy, will arrive here at 8 o'clock tonight on her way up river.

\$2.50 from La Crosse to Modern Mystic Workers' Picnic at Madison, Wis.,

Via the North-Western line. Excursion tickets will be sold on Thursday, July 24, limited to return the same day. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Excursion Rates to Monona Lake Assembly at Madison, Wis.,

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates July 23 and 24, limited to return until Aug. 6, inclusive. Other dates of sale on certificate plan. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

## GRAND OPENING

—at the—

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